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The Honorable Jeff Denham  
Member of the Senate  
California State Legislature  
State Capitol, Room 3076  
Sacramento, CA 95814

Dear Senator Denham:

We, the members of the California 9-1-1 Advisory Board, would like to offer our support for Senate Bill 1597.

Holding money in trust in the State Emergency Telephone Number Account (SETNA) ensures that funds required for essential 9-1-1 equipment and network services will be available when needed. It is critical that California's 9-1-1 infrastructure continues to keep pace with the needs of those that depend on it everyday. As technology changes, so too must the 9-1-1 system. Ensuring a robust and reliable system will depend in large part on the ability to provide for upgrades and improvements. Senate Bill 1597 will go a long way to do just that.

Thank you for your leadership and for recognizing the importance of preserving the integrity of the SETNA fund for its intended purpose.

Sincerely,

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